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TEN CENTS A WEEK

## ONE DOLLAR WHEAT.

Reached With a Rush and the Wildest Enthusiasm. Operators Act Like Madmen.

Sensational Rise of Ten Cents in Two Days.

\$1.07 AT PHILADELPHIA.

\$1.05 the New York Price With a Bearish Tone.

TOP FIGURES IN PADUCAH.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat sold at one dollar before noon and then dropped to 99¢. The scene in the wheat pit when the dollar mark was reached recalls description. The anticipated point was reached with the wildest cheers and tremendous enthusiasm. The operators acted like mad men, throwing their hats in the air and in every way showing their enthusiasm. Wheat closed at 87 1/2 cent Thursday night, 12 1/2 cents rise in two days. Makes the heads of the oldest operators turn dizzy.

One Dollar and Five.

New York, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat reached \$1.05. The wheat pit has been the scene of the intensest babel, the oldest numbers falling to recall anything like it in the past. A bearish tone rules now, though many predict \$1.25 yet for wheat.

One Dollar and Seven.

Philadelphia, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat reached one dollar and seven cents. The wild scenes of yesterday were reported today.

One Dollar and Nine.

Cincinnati, Aug. 21.—Cash wheat is selling here today at \$1 per bushel.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 21.—September wheat rose here today to 81.

THE HOME FIGURE.

Paducah Buyers are Paying a Still Price for the Cereal.

The local buyers are today paying 97 cents for wheat.

Today.—As we go to press the Paducah Milling and Elevator Company began to pay one dollar for wheat.

MINNEAPOLIS WAS HILARIOUS.

Mr. Babbitt Hired a Band to Play a Dollar Wheat March.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 20.—Cash wheat sold here today at a dollar, the first time since the summer of 1890.—Predictions are that failures will follow within a few days, in view of the advance of six cents today.

On the Chamber of Commerce floor there was a shout of expectancy from the pit when the price of wheat approached a dollar. The market was strong, opening three cents higher than yesterday's close, supported by strong foreign news and bullish Northwest reports.

The price of cash wheat had just passed the dollar point when from down the hall-way came the sound of martial music. There was a rush for the door and the crowd broke into a cheer as up the corridor came C. A. Pillsbury, at the head of a band of music, which was pounding out a dollar wheat memorial march. Mr. Pillsbury led his band through the doorway and on to the floor, while hats went up and cheer proclaimed the entire satisfaction with which a majority received the news of dollar wheat. For years wheat has been selling at low price. There was an enormous overproduction in nearly all countries. The world could not consume the wheat, and for the first time in the history of the grain trade fifty-cent wheat became a fact.

CONDITION OF WHEAT.

About An Average Crop is Predicted for the Northwest.

Minneapolis, Aug. 21.—The Minneapolis "Journal" has just published the sixth annual estimate of H. V. Jones, its commercial editor, of the spring wheat crop of the Northwest made after a three weeks' trip through Minnesota and the Dakotas, during which time Mr. Jones made a close personal inspection of the fields. He estimates the yield as follows:

Minnesota.—Total acreage 4,500,000, average yield per acre 11 bushels, total yield 49,500,000 bushels.

North Dakota.—Total acreage 1,000,000, average yield per acre 5 bushels, total yield 44,000,000 bushels.

South Dakota.—Total acreage 2,

000,000, average yield per acre 9 bushels, total 26,100,000 bushels.

Total acreage 11,500,000, average yield 10.2 bushels, total yield 115,000 bushels.

This would be about an average crop, being about the same yield as that of last year. The crop is a very difficult one to estimate, owing to the fact that it is so much spotty. A field of ten acres yields several grades of wheat. The straw is, as a rule, good, but the bolls are not well filled, and the quality will, probably, as a whole, be inferior to that of last year. Excessive rains and lack of warm weather are the chief causes of the deterioration of quality. Mr. Jones says the harvest will not be completed before September 1, and that in consequence bad weather before that date may easily cut down the total yield 100,000,000 bushels. The important fact is that there is no excess of yield. When estimates were first made it was supposed the crop would be a "bumper" and 175,000,000 bushels was the figure given. Now it is seen that it may run down as low as 100,000,000 bushels if bad weather continues. The bad wheat, due to unhealthy conditions, will probably be a feature in the marketing of the crop.

A PANIC IN CHINA.

It has been caused by the persistent fall in Silver.

Valparaiso, Aug. 20.—The persistent fall in the price of bar silver has caused a panic among the producers in Chile. Many of the principal mines of the republic will be closed soon and if the price continues to fall ruin will be the only result.

A TOLL-HOUSE BURNED.

Builders on the War Path Once More in Owen County.

Owensboro, Ky., Aug. 20.—The toll-house, also known as the Owen County War House, was recently set on fire. The county required the toll-house to be a toll-house for the protection of the citizens. It was set on fire to prevent the citizens from using the toll-house.

AMUSEMENTS NOTES.

Miss Bowen Chases Her Husband Tonight at La Belle.

19th Street.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1897.

A PENNSYLVANIA paper puts it tersely, thus: "If silver continues to decline in value it will be free."

WESTERN Tennessee and Western Kentucky never have been in better shape than at present. The farmers are enjoying big crops of everything and the prices are correspondingly large.

EVERY returned visitor to St. Louis reports the biggest kind of a wholesale trade. St. Louis is forging rapidly to the front and is now gaining much of the business that her location entitles her to.

PADUCAH's wheat buyers are just like her merchants, right up with the times. Ever since the excitement began in wheat, Paducah buyers have paid more than Chicago. Wheat brought 14 cents here yesterday with Chicago 33.

SENATOR TILLMAN says that dollar wheat is a folly and predicts a bright future for Bryan by saying that he will be elected president in 1890. One cannot help admiring Tillman's fidelity to his belief, even if he is a chink of the first water.

THE rumors of new buildings soon to be erected in Paducah indicate that investors have the utmost confidence in her future. There is no reason why she should not even surpass in the coming five years her remarkable growth of the last five years.

THE Earlington "Bee" says: "The market for skilled labor, notwithstanding the continued coal strike, continues to show marked improvement. The coal strike is the only very unfavorable thing in the general good condition of the whole country, and Hopkins county miners are not contributing to the continuance of this starvation movement."

RAILROAD earnings are increasing in all parts of the country. Large additions have been made to the working force, better hours are given, and as a consequence more earnings and steady employment. The daily earnings of 118 railroads, aggregating nearly 100,000 miles of road, aggregate 8 per cent. higher than in July, 1894. This is encouraging to the railroad men who stood firmly in line for sound money last fall.

ACCORDING to the Earlington "Bee" one Dan Llewellyn, who was sent to Earlington by Indiana miners to instruct the workmen of Hopkins county in the duties they owe to their fellow men, left sooner than he expected. He met the workmen and he also met an unpaid board bill, due a widow—a bill made some years ago when Llewellyn was an employee of the Hedges Coal Company. The bill is still unpaid.

THE "Silver Republicans" so called are not Republicans in any sense. They are co-operating thoroughly and with the greatest earnestness with the silver Democrats, as is shown by the efforts of ex-Congressman Towne to persuade the Quo D. politicians against the nomination of a separate ticket which would reduce the prospect of the election of a silver Democrat to the Senate of the United States. Towne's work at Columbus in behalf of the silver Democratic candidate for the Senate tore the mask off the so-called silver Republicans.

DEN'S "Review of last week," commenting on business conditions, says: "Every city reporting this week notes increase in trade, and nearly all bright crop prospects. The great change in business is emphasized by

the presence of a multitude of buyers from all parts of the country, by their statements of the situation at their homes, and more forcibly yet by the heavy purchases they are making. But the customary signs of prosperity are not lacking. The strong rise in stocks, the growth of bank clearings and railroad earnings, the heavy speculations in many products, but most of all in wheat, have made the week one of surpassing interest even to those who best remember the upward rush in 1879."

THE evidence accumulates with each day's advices that the long-continued depression in financial circles has passed, and thanks to five years of forced economy and cessation of speculation, coupled with today's abundant harvest at remunerative prices to the agriculturalists, a new prosperity is coming to the people.

—[From address of Comptroller Eekels (Den) before American Bankers' Association, August 18, 1897.

THERE was no advance in prices of corn, oats, rye, hay, potatoes, wheat, beans, cottonseed oil, hemp, beets, bacon, lard, rice, eggs, mutton, cotton, tobacco, wool, and other articles of farm production during the month of July. Commenting upon this fact, Bradstreet's says: "This is evidence of a healthful ground swell of demand for staple products and emphasizes the radical improvement in the situation of the American agriculturist who has had no such opportunity to reap a large share of the rewards of labor for years."

THE reports of the exports of the fiscal year just ended show that the bulk of the money coming from abroad in payment of our exports went to the farmer. The exports of cattle amounted to \$86,357,451; barley, \$7,646,374; corn, \$54,087,152; oats, \$8,756,207; rye, \$8,667,505; wheat, \$59,920,178; flour, \$55,914,317; oil cake meal, \$9,611,044; cottonseed oil, \$6,897,331; tobacco, \$5,895,817; vegetables, \$2,337,921; provisions, \$137,128,804; cotton, \$20,890,971. This is hard on the silver orators who are trying to work the farmer this year.

BUSINESS conditions in various parts of the country continue to improve. The Norwalk, Conn., Woolen Mills last week resumed work, notifying their hundreds of operators that night work is likely to be required; the Alabama Rolling Mills at Birmingham announce a resumption of work; the Howard Harrison Iron Co., Bessemer, Ala., has increased its force, and the pipe works at that place resumed operations; the Providence Mine at Scranton, Pa., which has been idle two years, will resume work at once; the Delaware Iron Works at Newcastle have resumed operations, giving employment to 500 persons, and the wallpaper factory at Newark, Del., will soon resume; the Edgemere Iron Co., at Newcastle, Del., has increased its force; the coal miners at Nashville, Tenn., have received an increase of 20 cents per ton on their wages for mining coal; the pottery manufacturers in New Jersey have agreed to advance wages; the Southern Railway Co. has put all the men in its shop at nine hours a day; the Hutchinson Cole Mfg. Co., of Newark, Conn., will resume at once with 500 operatives. This only a small share of the prosperity developments of a single week.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE. The greatest crime against labor that has been committed this year is the great coal miners' strike. Even if the strikers had good reason for their action, they committed a great blunder, from their own standpoint, in ordering the strike during the dull summer months, when one-fourth of the coal mines could supply the demand. The strike has been in force seven weeks, and the strikers are no nearer victory than the day the first miner threw down his tools. So that now we see that an attempt is being made to call out organized labor all over the country, a call having been issued for a meeting of the heads of the various labor organizations at St. Louis, August 30. They now propose to tie up the railroads, in order to force the coal operators to concede the demands of the miners.

SHOULD the strike prove a success, which is most improbable, the miners have lost more during their voluntary idleness than they could make up in twelve months' of wages at their own price. The only hindrance now to a general resumption of work in nearly all lines of manufacturing business is the present strike, which has produced a coal famine in certain vital points.

THE present strike originated in the Pittsburgh district of Pennsylvania. The history of the strike shows that the West Virginia mines and nearly all of the southern mines were perfectly satisfied to continue at work. The same is true of a large part of the Ohio, Indiana and Illinois miners. The grievance of the miners of one district is the cause of the whole trouble, and there is much reason to believe that the jealousy of the coal

operators among themselves has much to do with it as the grievance of the strikers.

THE public sympathizes with miners who do not make living wages. But the public has no sympathy with a "sympathetic" strike. It is unreasonable and unjust. And nothing today could possibly be more unpopular or could possibly hurt the cause of organized labor more than a general sympathetic strike of other labor organizations.

WHAT of Silver? From the *St. Louis Democrat*.

There appears to be a general belief that the great prospective gold output in British America and Alaska will soon the price of the other metal up. "An augmentation of the world's gold yield could not fail to increase the value of silver," says the London "Globe." When California and Australia pour their uniforms into the market, silver, like all other commodities, acquired an enhanced value." That paper takes care to add, though, that at that time the United States had no accumulations of the white metal, whereas now these have become so enormous that silver sales can only be effected at a sacrifice."

The words last quoted from the British paper show one reason why expansion in the gold yield that is within the bounds of probability can materially increase the price of silver. A far stronger reason, however, why silver cannot go up much is that the cheapening of the processes of production permits silver to be minted at a profit at the quotations of two or three weeks ago, and that even a minute advance in prices above that low level would reopen many mines, greatly increase the output and send prices down again. It should be remembered, too, that this cheapening of productive processes is steadily under way, and that the 60c an ounce rate, which is now non-prohibitive, could possibly be cut to 50 cents or 10 cents two or three years hence and held at that level without closing the mines. Another reason why silver is likely to stay low unless the demand for it greatly increases is that considerable quantities of it are obtained in gold and lead mines as a by-product, and this, of course, will continue.

Gold production has been increasing by leaps and bounds in the past few years, and yet this has not strengthened the silver market. In 1890 the world's yield of gold was about \$11,000,000, while the steady and rapid advance every year since 1890's product up to \$21,000,000. Silver prices in these seven years have gone rapidly downward, and have just touched the lowest level ever reached.

There is a chance that the world's production of gold in 1897 will be \$230,000,000 or \$240,000,000, or over by the year 1900. When the California and Australian gold fields were furnishing their largest output, which more than tripled the annual gold yield of a few years earlier, the effect on silver was very slight, as seen by the market ratio between the metals during the years covered by the gold discoveries and greatest of all in these regions. Nobody, of course, believes that the recent drop in silver far below the 50c line will be continued. An advance above that mark may soon take place again, but the general tendency of silver, taking the annual average, will undoubtedly be downward despite the tremendous growth in gold production, unless an immense increase in demand for silver should be had, and even this influence would be only temporary, for each advance in price would open new mines or reopen old ones.

## NEW SCHOOL

Will be Selected For Rowland Town.

The Building First Selected Should not be Secured.

The building committee of the board of education was last night instructed to secure a suitable school building in Rowland Place for the nine months' term soon to begin, and the building committee was empowered to give it the necessary repairs. As yet the building has not been secured. It was the board's first intention to rent the old grocery near the Faxon place, but satisfactory arrangements could not be made for it, and it may become necessary to select another one.

A SPECULATOR'S OPINION.

Remarks on the Wheat Situation From One Who Knows.

Toledo, O., Aug. 18.—A speech at the Cincinnati "Commercial Tribune" says:

Frank I. King, of the well known old grain firm of C. A. King & Co., says: "Ohio, which is the largest winter wheat state, has a crop of 46,000,000 bushels, twice as much as a year ago, and with the good quality against very poor last season it will net the farmers of the state fully \$15,000,000 more than a year ago. Other states, except Illinois and Missouri, where they were blighted, will give somewhat more for their wheat crop than last year."

"The demand will be large, unless foreign crops turn out better than is now expected. Almost every country in Europe has less than a year ago. Stocks visible and invisible are the smallest in five years, and this is the strongest factor in the situation at present. The shortage in France and Russia is not as large as in 1891, when we had our largest crop and exports. During the crop year of 1896 the exports were 144,000,000 bushels, and they will be fully 150,000,000 this crop year, with chances for a better average price."

The demand for wheat from Eng-

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As yet the building has not been secured. It was the board's first

intention to rent the old grocery near the Faxon place, but satisfactory arrangements could not be made for it, and it may become necessary to select another one.

A SPECULATOR'S OPINION.

Remarks on the Wheat Situation From One Who Knows.

Toledo, O., Aug. 18.—A speech at the Cincinnati "Commercial Tribune" says:

Frank I. King, of the well known old grain firm of C. A. King & Co., says: "Ohio, which is the largest winter wheat state, has a crop of 46,000,000 bushels, twice as much as a year ago, and with the good quality against very poor last season it will net the farmers of the state fully \$15,000,000 more than a year ago. Other states, except Illinois and Missouri, where they were blighted, will give somewhat more for their wheat crop than last year."

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Another Big Lot of Those Dollar Black Skirts, at The Bazaar.

The demand for these skirts is so great that we are unable to get enough of them. So in order that no one will be disappointed, we will sell only one to a customer.

For next week only we will sell the renowned R. G. corset, the most perfect fitting corset in the world, at the ridiculously low price of 75c. These corsets are made in black only, and have never been sold under \$1.50. Only one corset to a customer.

500 beautiful all-silk plaid children's ties, regular price 25c., go this week for 15 cents.

In millinery we will sell all our summer hats below cost. A good straw sailor for 25c. \$2 trimmed hats for 65 cents.

In order to fully introduce our hair department, we will shampoo the hair for 25 cents, and manicure finger nails for 25 cents. This offer for one week only. Tuesday, Aug. 24, we will curl bangs free.

## THE BAZAAR,

New Store.

215 Broadway.

## Always in The Front Rank.

Fancy Mackerel, three for 25c. Bayle's Fresh Potato Chips. Pickwick Club Coffee, three pounds for \$1.00. Nice Fresh Wafer Crackers. Uncolored Japan Tea, 60c a pound—very fine for iced tea. New Asparagus Tips.

Try our Bonita Package Coffee—two pounds for 25c.

ED JONES,  
The Second Street Grocer.

## WEATHER REPORT.

Fair tonight and Sunday.

## LOCAL MENTION.

For timbers, joists, scantling and rough boxing, go to the McKinnie Veneer & Package Co.

To Heat the Court House.

The work of putting in the steam heating apparatus at the county court house has begun, and will probably be completed by September 1st, by Contractor Hannan. The heating joints will arrive in a few days, and probably be ready by the middle of September.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascara Candy Cathartic. 10c. & C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Nice ash stove wood, delivered promptly to any part of the city. Telephone 29. E. E. BELL.

On the Day Force.

Officer Frank Orr is temporarily on the day force in place of Officer Fayette Jones, who is ill.

CAMPBELL-MULVILLY COAL COMPANY

Will fill your coal house now cheaper than anyone. Call and make contract.

Hatfield School. The fall session will begin September 13, 1897. Day school, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.; night school, 7 p. m. to 9 p. m. \$2 to \$5 per month. Your patronage is solicited. 55

Death Relieved Hymn.

Mr. W. D. Pippin, of the Gratiaville section, died yesterday of congestion of the stomach, after a several days illness. He was 40 years of age, and leaves in addition to his wife several children. The remains were buried at Bayou church cemetery today.

For sale or rent an elegant eight-room residence, corner Jefferson and Fountain avenue. W. FRED LONG.

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Nice furnished front room for rent. Address "K." S. Office.

Dr. Edwards, Specialty, Eyes, Ear, Nose and Throat, Paducah, Ky.

Place your orders for rough lumber for sheds, walks, etc., with the McKinnie Veneer & Package Co. 18a6

An Attractive Catalogue.

The Paducah Furniture Company has just issued from the Sun job department, one of the most complete and attractive catalogues ever sent out of Paducah. The work was all done in the Sun job room, and shows that nothing up-to-date in the art preservative is impossible in Paducah, and that the popular Paducah Furniture Company knows where to go when it wants the best work at the lowest price.

Spilled the Hay.

A hay wagon broke down at Fourth and Court at noon and the hay had to be transferred to another wagon and hauled off. A front wheel was wrenched off in turning.

New Tin Shop.

W. J. Wolf, formerly with Scott Hardware Company as foreman, has opened up a shop at No. 216 Court street. He will do all kinds of steamboat work, roofing, guttering and repair work. Guarantees all work to be first-class and suitable for your trade.

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## PERSONAL.

If I suffer from early indiscretions or later excesses, power and vitality gone, we are just the parties you are looking for. We have a remedy which we guarantee to do prompt work and give perfect satisfaction—a remedy very powerful in its action, and absolutely harmless to the system. Results are obtained in ten days. Lost manhood, lack of vitality and impotence are things of the past when U-NO is so easily obtained. One dollar a bottle; six bottles for \$5. Enclose \$1 and receive U-NO by private delivery at your address same day. Address postoffice box 359, Cape Girardeau, Mo.

DR. H. PARKER

Which do you prefer?

50 cents  
or a case of chills?

If you had rather have the 50c we will keep the medicine and you the chills.

Claxton Tasteless  
Chill Tonic

Will positively cure chills and fever. Money refunded if it does not cure, at

McPherson's  
4TH & BROADWAY.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. J. B. Davis will be home for May 1st.  
Mr. E. Rugglesberger is back from Chicago.  
Mr. C. C. McGuire left 21 noon for Creel.  
Mr. Victor Van De Made is again in the city.  
Mr. N. J. Dilday left last night for Louisville.

Mrs. Clint Dean has returned from Union City.

J. McElrath, of Murray, was in the city today.

Capt. Robt. E. Lee, of Memphis, is at the Palmer.

Charles E. Hughes, of Golconda, is at the Palmer.

Edwin Coria, of Metropolis, is at the Palmer today.

Mr. H. H. Buquo, of Erin, Tenn., is at the Palmer.

Capt. Billy Lewis came in today from St. Louis.

Judge W. D. Greer returned this morning from Creel.

W. W. Hildelstein, of Swanton, Va., is at the Palmer.

Mrs. Jim Foster and child returned at noon from Dawson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will L. Levy left at noon for a sojourn at Creel.

Miss Katie Plumb has returned from a visit to Charleston, Mo.

Mr. Murrell Buckner went up to Hopkinsville this morning.

Rev. M. E. Chappell returned at noon from Hill Springs, Crittenden county.

Photographer W. G. McFadden left this morning for Dawson, on business.

Mr. D. L. Redden, of Murray, was in the city today en route to Edaville.

Miss Mamie Judge has returned from a pleasant sojourn of several weeks in New York.

Route Agent E. C. Spence, of the Southern Express Company, was in the city today.

Mr. H. H. Evans, the oil man, is quite sick at his home, 510 South Fourth, of malarial fever.

Mr. J. E. English returned this morning from St. Louis, having remained but half an hour in the Future Great.

Mr. O. T. Davis, of the "Register," leaves tomorrow for Calvert City. From there he goes to Nashville to attend the Centennial.

Rev. M. E. Chappell returned to the city today from a three weeks' vacation, spent with about seventy-five friends from Frederina and Marion, camping at Hill Springs, in Crittenden county. He reports an enjoyable time.

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Clothing and Shoes  
EVER HELD IN THE CITY OF PADUCAH.

Our buyer has just returned from the east, where he has purchased the entire bankrupt stock of Carl Schmidt & Co., of Chicago, which was one of the best selected stocks of Shoes and Clothing in the city of Chicago.

## CLOTHING.

Men's Fine Business Suits, worth \$8.50, \$9.50, and \$12.00, go in one lot at \$9.50.

200 prs Men's Fine Dress Shoes, vell kid, worth \$3.50 and \$4.50, go in one lot at \$1.75, all styles of toes.

200 prs Fine Ladies' Shoes, worth \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50, go in one lot at 90 cents.

Great Bargains in Children's Shoes and Slippers.

You cannot afford to miss this sale.

## PADUCAH AUCTION AND STORAGE CO.

228 and 230 Court St. Cor. 3d & Court.

## CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—Services as usual tomorrow at the Cumberland Presbyterian church corner Sixth and Court.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL—No services at the Fifth street German Evangelical church. Sunday school 9:15 a. m.

TENTH STREET CHRISTIAN—Tenth Street Christian church services tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Communion at 10:45. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Eld. Albert Nichols, of Metropolis, Ills. A full attendance of members of the church is desired. And the public cordially invited.

A. L. Frank, the Second street merchant in jail on a charge of grand larceny, and alleged to belong to the gang of shop-lifters, today filed a deed of assignment to Mr. J. R. Lemon, of the Lemon-Grenory Hat Company. He states that his debtors all his creditors to be treated fairly, and for this reason makes the assignment.

Frank, as is probably remembered, was recently held over on two or three felony charges, together with his brother and three others. The cases all come up at the next term of court.

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